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GRANTS TO KURUKSHETRA UNIVERSITY
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the University Grants Commission has withdrawn the grants to the IAS Coaching Centre of the Kurukshetra University;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the action taken by the Government to restore the Grant?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH)

(a) to (c): Kurukshetra University was provided a grant of Rs.4.5 lakhs for implementing the scheme of Remedial Coaching Classes for SC/ST students for the three years period w.e.f. 1998. The assistance was used by the university for M.G.A.L.S. Coaching Institute which is a part of the university, as per record available.

After implementing the scheme for 3 years, its performance was reviewed by an Expert Committee which recommended stopping further assistance for the scheme.